

Mainsbridge School Relocation

Works notification

September 2020

Mainsbridge School for Specific Purposes (SSP) is being relocated to part of the existing Warwick Farm Public School site.

A small amount of asbestos containing material has been identified during site remediation works at Warwick Farm Public School on a section of the construction site. This material is bonded asbestos.

Bonded asbestos means it is attached to other material, such as cement or vinyl floor tiles and cannot be crumbled by light pressure. The area has been covered and contained.

Safety measures in place

Safety measures have been put in place to ensure there is no risk to students, staff or the local community. The area has been secured and appropriate control and monitoring measures are in place.

Extension of standard working hours

On 2 April 2020, the NSW Government issued an announcement recognising that construction work is an essential service and therefore will continue during the Covid-19 pandemic. To help construction sites maintain social distancing measures, the Government introduced new rules that allow sites to operate longer hours on weekends and public holidays. This will enable measures such as staggering shifts whilst minimising lost productivity.

Hours of work

The material will be removed, weather and site conditions permitting, by a licensed asbestos removal contractor between 8 am and 4:30pm on the following dates:

Week 1	Saturday 12 September and Sunday 13 September 2020
Week 2	Saturday 19 September and Sunday 20 September 2020
Week 3	Saturday 26 September and Sunday 27 September 2020
Week 4	Saturday 3 October and Sunday 4 October 2020
Week 5	Saturday 10 October and Sunday 11 October 2020
Week 6	Saturday 17 October and Sunday 18 October 2020

Works will be conducted in accordance with the Department of Education's Asbestos Management Plan and SafeWork NSW requirements. A Hygienist will continue to inspect the site to ensure the correct materials are disposed of off-site.

The health, safety and wellbeing of the school community and local residents is our highest priority. Please be assured that these works will not pose a risk to the community.

Thank you for your cooperation during this important work.

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